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CURRENT TOPICS.

Wisconsin has ten less post-offices no THE Ontario Knights of Labor have boy-A FIFTEEN-YEAR-OLD Kansas girl secured

s divorce recently.

The latest piece of slang in New York
City is "feddering up."

HAWAH, with only 60,000 inhabitants, pays

ber King \$85,000 a year. sign reads: "Teeth A PHILADELPHIA

pulled while you wait."
ONE-THIRD of Jay Gould's daily mail is omposed of begging letters.
PLATT COUNTY, ILL., has no money in the

treasury and is four cents in dobt.

There is strong talk of organizing a lea ue of colored base-ball players.

Cocaine was \$500 an ounce. Now anybody can go crazy on it at \$8 an ounce.

Tan thousand cattle are killed in New York City every week for food purposes. A nov in Tennessee has a mouth which he can open to the extent of nearly six inches. It is said that one-third of the children of the Mormons in Utah are outspoken infi-

A Sr. Louis man estimates that a Pullman sleeper nets the company \$7,520 a

LITTLE bedpost bells rung by electricity are now used to awaken heavy sleepers in

jack rabbit sea ps by county authorities on the Pacific Coast. PRESENT indications point strongly to-ward the nomination of a Labor Presiden-

tial candidate in 1888.

The Czar bas decided against compelling a reduction of the sugar production in

order to improve trade.

A PETITION in favor of reviving the tax upon bachelors in France has been presented to the Chamber of Deputies.

JAY Goule believes, as the result of his own experience, that "men appreciate their own exprises more than a gift." Door RECCES of the old fashioned kind

are once more appearing on the doors of fashionable New York residences.

Progressive jack-straw parties are taking the place of progressive euchre parties in fashionable Louisville society.

Boston has coined a word for the women who wear birds' plumage upon their hats. They are called "birdicidal women."

Some ladies' boots shown in a Boston shop-window are \$100 a pair. The buttons look like diamonds, but arn't, of course. COUNT MOLTRE invariably begins each day with a visit to his wife's tomb, a practice he has observed ever since her

FIFTY-ONE emigrants from South Carolina to Arkansas recently gave the fear of the earthquakes as their reasons for de-

The news comes from Paris that Mrs. Mackay compels her drossmakers to plodge their words that her drosses shall not be NEW HAMPSHIRE ministers boycotted the

Governor's Thanksgiving proclamation because it contained no reference to a Su preme Being.

Ar the end of 1817, 789 telephones existed in the United States, and at the end of 1885 there were 325,570 telephones and 783 tele-

A court in Athens, Ga., had its atten-tion absorbed the other day by a suit brought by one colored girl against an-

other for ten cents. An ample volume of compilations from Dr. Talmage's sermons and writings will stortly be issued under the title of "Shots at Sunday Targets."

A HEN whose head and mouth are de scribed as being in striking resemblance of a snake's is classed among the possessions of a Pousacola (Fla.) man

JOHN JACOB ASTOR is rated at \$150,(0),000 and is probably the richest man in Amer-William Waldorf Astor, the ex-Min ister to Italy, is his only son.

THE stomach of several cattle which died near Whitmore, la., were found to be lined with mud taken in with the filthy water they were compelled to drink.

MR. F. GOODMAN, aged seventy-six, and Mrs. Mary Ireland, aged sixty-eight, of Farmington, Ja., had to ru a way from their child: en in order to get married "THE father of the forest" in Tulace

County, Cal, is the argest tree in the It is 450 feet high and measures 188 feet around the trunk. It is a chestnut. THE Emperor William and the Empress

Augusta will horoafter confer medals distinction upon aged couples who celebrate their golden or diamond wed-

THE locomotive whistle now wakens the ns of Mammoth Cave. The railroad has got there, and civilization takes formal possession of the largest known hole in the

closed in London, after having been open for six months and a balf, was enormously sful, its visitors having numbered

cling published in London has over a thoufemale subscribers indicates that the sport is extremely popular among women in England.

A MAN of Springfield, D. T., went to sleep by the roadside. When he awoke he was astonished to find that a wagon had run over his leg and broken it. The leg was a

WHEN Mrs. Mabala-Buett Lawrence, of Warsaw, N. Y., celebrated her ninetieth birthday recently five of the guests were ladles aged ninety, eighty-nine, eighty-seven, eighty-three and eighty.

A WESTERN man advertised that he would for one dollar ma'l information ends would make food entirely unnecessary. A citizen of Jordan, Canada, seat his dollar, and by

Roswell Beardsley, who has been post-master at North Lansing, Tompkins Coun-ty, N. Y., since June, 1828, is the oldest postmaster in the service. The compensa-tion for his service has always remained the same-\$190 a year.

DEATH IN A COAL SHAFT.

Another Shocking Disaster in Pennsylvania Mine.

Twelve Men Killed and a Score Maimed

and Scarred for Life.

WILKESBARRE, PA., Nov. 23. — Shortly after fifty miners and laborers entered the Conyngham shaft this morning, and were at the outtom preparing to go to work, an explosi n of gas took place. The di aster Conyngham shaft this morning, and were at the cottom preparing to go to work, an explosi in of gas took place. The di aster was caused by Coraelius Boyle, a mine laborer, who stepped into a worked-out chamber, which was filled with gas, with a lighted lamp upon his hat. Boyle wil die. Two miners, whose names are unknown, are missing, and it is believed they were blown into a dump containing 30 feet of water and drowned. Forty-two men werd severely burned and others slightly injured. Twelve of the men will die. The recovery of the following is believed to be hopeless: Hugh Sweeney, laborer; Edward Kerns, laborer; Richard Cou ter, miner; Condy Shannon, Tho has O'Brien, reported dead; Cornelius Boyle, miner, reported dead; Cornelius Boyle, miner, reported dead; Cornelius Boyle, miner; John Dougherty, laborer; Denis McCabe, miner. The reported deaths of Boyle and O'B ien can not be verified. The following unfortunate men are reported more or less badly bured: Wm. J. Evans, fire boss; Wm. Williams, fire boss, and the following miners and laborers: James Boyle, James Elliot, Patrick McCabe, Charies K. Kline, James Duffy, Chris Duffy, Matt McConnell, Abert Anear, Henry Miller, Peter Miller, Wm. Griffiths, Patrick Sweeny, James Davis, George Marlay and the Friel brothers, fataliy, John Williams, Richard Coulter, James Davis and Michael Clinton. The names of the others could not be learned. David McDonald, inside foreman, was caught in the after damp and was overcome. He was taken out as soon as possible, and revived on reaching the upper air. His injuries are slight. Seventeen mules were severely burned, and many of them will be shot to relieve them from their sufferings.

ATROCIOUS

Murder of an Entire Family, and the House Burned With the Bodies In It. LOUISVILLE, KY., Nov. 26 .- It is learned here to-day that the family of e ght per sons, supposed to have been accidentally sons, supposed to have been accidentally burned to death in Knox County, a month since, were murdered; their throat having been first cut from ear to ear. The family, whose name was Poe, had two neighbors whose reputation was not of the best, and on this account they forbade them entering their house. These neighbors, a man and woman, though not man and wife, had an illegitimate child, a boy, about ten years old. They lived some thirty yards from Poe's house, and becoming enraged because of being refused social recognition, planned the damnable plot of murdering the entry family. The boy, suffering under a severe chastisement from his reputed father, now tells the whole story. Ht says his mother was talking about the matter for several days, and that is culminated during a night when Mr. Poe was absent from home, and that whe his father and mother left home for Poe's house thy forbade his going with them, but that he slipped along without their knowledge, and saw them enter the house. The family, all of whom were females, were all asleep in one room, and his father with a razor cut the throats of each from ear to ear, while his mother picked the bodies up, placed them in the middle of the floor, piled the contents of two beds on them, and then set fire to them and the house, and that the poor, helpless little baby screamed until the flames smothered it. The man and woman have not as yet been arrested, but a sewing-machine, bed, and several other articles, recognized as belonging burned to death in Knox County, a month have not as yet been arrested, but a sewing machine, bed, and several other articles, recognized as belonging to the inurdered family, were found beneath the house of the accused parties. There is no doubt of their guilt, and excitement has reached an intensity bordering on frenzy, so that it is more than probable the State will be saved the expense of a trial. Further reactivilizes to night, shed

trial. Further particulars to-night shed additional light on the Knox County hor-ror, and make it one of the darkest and most damnable crimes ever committ d in the State, not excepting the Ashland affair som y years since. HORRIBLE BEYOND BELIEF.

Suddenly Insane Man Murders and Devours 'lis Companion.

Sr. Louis, Nov. 26.-A dispatch from Havensville, a small town in Jackson County, Kas., tells of a revolting crims County, Kas., tells of a revolting crime committed near that place last Wednes day night. A young farmer named Rhodes Clements, while going home from prayer-meeting with another farmer named Samuel Gordon, suddenly became insane and killed the latter with a club. Not returning home, a search was made for Cl ments, and he was found some distance from the road sitting beside the body of the man he had murdered, eating his heart. He had cut off the head from Gordon's body, and had torn out the heart, lungs and liver and was devouring them. Clements was secured and is now in jail a raving meniae.

Substitute for Sugar.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—A company has been formed in London and Antwerp for been formed in London and Antwerp for the manufacture of saccharine, a newly discovered substitute for sugar. It is a chemical product of coal tar, is far sweeter than sugar, and though it can not yet be manufactured so cheaply as sugar, yet its great sweetness makes it possible by mixing small quantities of saccharine with larger quantities of Chicago glucose to product a compound sweeter and cheaper than sugar. The new product is expected to disastrously affect the sugar industry.

The Welland Canal and Sunday.

St. Thomas, Can., Nov. 26. - Henceforth no vessel will be allowed to pass through the Welland Canal on Sunday, except in case of distress, or where there is danger of the vessel being frozen in.

Counterfeiters Captured.

Holton, Kas., Nov. 26.—Two men, named A. Hungerford and Chas. Bickle, were ar-rested here by Government detectives yesterday on the charge of making counter-feit coin. In the r house dies and other implements and one hundred and sixty-three counterfeit half dollars were found. The metal was found in a bed where the wife of one of the men was lying ill.

PULLADELPHIA Nov. 28.—The will of the late Margareta S. Lewis, which was admitted to probate to day, bequeaths over two bundred thousand dollars to religious and philanthropical purposes.

ACROSS GREENLAND. Lieutenant Pearcy Finds a New Eaute To-

ward the North Pole.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 23.—Lieutenant
Pearcy, who has been on an expedition to Green and for the purpose of sati fying him-gelf as to the feasibility of traveli g across celf as to the feasibility of travel g across that country and thus opening a mew route for Arctic explorers, arrived here yesterday on his way home in the United States. Landing at a Danish settlement on the west coast of Graenland be journeyed eastward for one hundred miles over unbroken fields of snow. He then returned to the starting place. This was his principal journey and he was accompanied on it by a Danish efficial. He made several short journeys alone. His observations and experience satisfied him that Greenland could be crossed from west to east by future expeditions to the North Pole. On a hundred mile trip Pearcy and his companions had to travel on snow shoes and haul sleds containing their provisions themselves, the snow being too soft for the dogs. They experienced no hardships and returned to the coast in good condition. On reaching a point 90 miles inland the elevation above the sea was found to be 7,600 feet.

WAR IN AFRICA

Natives Give Battle to Portuguese-Nine Thousand Estimated Killed

LONDON, Nov. 23 .- Advices from Durhan, November 8, state that an apparently successful revolt is in progress among the natives against Portuguese authorities in Southeast Africa. An American mission-Southeast Africa. An American missionary, Rev. Mr. Wilcox, reports as follows: The natives of Inhambane, a Portuguese port 200 miles above Delagoa Bay, rose up against the Portuguese taxation and murdered the collector. On October 23 a battle was fought between 8,000 Portuguese and friendly natives on one side and 30,000 natives on the other. The Portuguese were defeated and routed, and the ioss in killed on both sides is estimated at 9,000 men. Mr. Wilcox says the Governor of Mozambique has gone into the country to endeavor to suppress the revolt and saye the port of Inhambane from falling into the hands of the insurgents.

SLAYING THE LITTLE ONES. Dreadful Work of Diphtheria in Northern

CHICAGO, ILL., Nov. 23 .- The Inter-Ocean Wabash (Ind.) special says: For several weeks a malignant and fatal type of diphtheria has been raging in Logansport, and the mortality has been fearful. Fully one the mortality has been fearful. Fully one hundred children, many of prominent families, have died. The disease has also broken out in Rochester, Fulton County, and the epidemic is traveling up the valley, having just entered this county. The school at Rich Valley, five miles west of Wabash, has been closed, owing to the appearance of the disease, and one death has already been reported. There is considerable alarm over the spread of the malady, and active preparations are being made to check it.

A Wonder of the Sky. EVANSVILLE, IND., Nov. 23.—A very strange phenomena in the heavens was witnessed to-night by nearly the entire city. About six o'clock the sky in the south-west suddenly assumed a deep south-west suddenly assumed a deep crimson hue, which gradually grew brighter. In a few minutes breaks began to occur, until there were eight lines of color all diverging from a common center. Remaining thus for five minutes, they grew darker, until at quarter past six they were jet black, standing out grim and foreboding in the sky. It be pleaomens then began to disappear, attended by a brilliant meteoric shower lesting fully two minutes. The cause is not known, but the sight was sufficient to create fear and trembling among the superstitious.

Foreign News Boiled Down.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—A grandson has been born to Queen Victoria, the happy parents being the Prince and Princess Battenberg. Lord Coleridge's daughter has sued him for slander for reflecting upon her purity. In siander for reflecting upon her parity. In an interview between Herbert Bismarck and the Russian Ambassador the former de-nounced the conduct of General Kaulbars in Bulgaria. A French Cabinet crisis ex-ists. The opening of a Chinese raliway is reported. A terrible sequel to an awful matricide comes from Paris. The daughter and son-in-law are condemned to death and two sons to life imprisonment on the testi-mony of a granddaughther seven years of age.

Crazy Loon.

LONDON, Nov. 23 .- A London newspaper called the Anarchist, publishes a wild appeal to Englishmen to assemble in thousands in Cleveland Heli to-day to demand justice for the condemned Chicago Anarchists, who, the paper says, have simply shown the masses how those vile vipers, the capitalists, prostitute their toil by day and their children by night. Englishmen are asked whether any means are not justifiable to desiroly the cruel, cowardly, corrupt and rotten American Republic, and besought to leave nothing undone to accompish that end. The article bears in large letters the caption "Murder," underneath a big black flag. called the Anarchist, publishes a wild ap-

Boston, Nov. 23.-William Reed, Treasurer of the South Boston Horse Railroad Company, was arrested this morning at his home upon a warrant charging him w the emb-zzlement of \$35,000 of the railr funds. In the police station Reed acknowledged the embezzlement of \$65,500 in cash, and an over-issue of 315 shares of the stock of the road, having a cash value of \$1,500, making the total amount of the defaication \$104,000.

Murdered His Hired Hand.

LITTLE ROCE, ARK., Nov. 23.—N. B. Hilger, a prominent and wealthy planter in White County, during a quarrel yesterday with an employe named Haskius struck him on the head with a shovel and killed him almost inst ntly. Hilger fled and has not yet been captured.

Ex-President Arthur's Will.

New York, Nov. 23.—The will of ex-President arthur disposes of real and per-sonal property to the value of about \$23,-000. The b quests are mostly of a private

Murder in the First Legres. DETROIT, Nov. 23.—At Boyne City, Mich., to-day, Taos. Smith was convicted of mirder in the flish degree for the killing of Niles Anderson.

New York N.v. 26.-H. M. dioxie, General Managerof the Good Bindowe t-ern system, ded this morning at the Broad-way.

ANARCHISTS REPRIEVED.

Will Delay Their Execution Until Spring. BLOOMINGT 'N, ILL. Nov. 25.—At11 o'clock this morning Judge Scott granted the su-percedeas in the Anarchists' case. Messrs. Black, Swett and Solomon started at once to Ottawa to have the Clerk issue the orto Ottawa to have the Clerk issue the order in pursuance to Judge Scott's instructions. The effect of the order for the supersedeas will be to delay the execution
until the full bench of the Supreme Court
has passed upon the 'questions raised for anew trial. It is estimated that in the ordinary course of procedure a hearing and
decision can not be reached for six or eight
weeks, and that even though the lower
Court is sustained the sentence can not be
carried out un'il some time in March or
April. Judge Scott's order granting the
supersedeas is purely formal. Without
going into any particulars, or giving any
reasons, he simply certifies that in his opinion "there is reasonable ground for granting the writ."

Suffocated in a Flaming Car. MOUNT CARROLL, ILL., Nov. 25 .- Upon the arrival of freight train No. 13, on the St. Paulroad, at this place last night, smoke was discovered issuing from a car in the body of the train. Investigation proved body of the train. Investigation proved that the car contained M. V. Seavey, from West Libertyville, Ill., several horses, foals and furniture, billed for Dow City, Ia. A lot of hay in the car was found t. be on fire, evidently ignited by a lantern, which was discov red broken on the floor. The stock was dead, suffocated by the smoke. Mr. Seavey was found on his knees, near the door of the car, living, but so much overcome that he breathed only a few minutes after being taken out.

Terrible Mishap to a Hunter.

DETROIT, MICH., Nov. 25 .- Guy Colburn, of Waverly, while out hunting Sunday, dis-charged his gun at a squirrel. The breachpin blew out, striking him squarely be tween the eyes. He was found insensible tween the eyes. He was found insensible some time after by his brother, who, with some difficulty, pulled out the iron, which was imbedded two inches in Guy's head, penetrating the brain. Colburn was conscious throughout the operation of removing the breach-pin, and told how the accident occurred. He is still living, and seems in a fair way to recover.

High Art in Counterfeiting.

New York, Nov. 25 .- A clever imitation of a five-dollar bill painted in oil by the artist Harhett, and owned by The artist Harhett, and owned by Theodore Stewart, a wine-room proprietor of this city, was seized yesterday by a special agent of the Treasur. Department and sent to Washington. The Secretary of the Treasury will decide whether the artist and owner of the picture are liable to prosecution as maker and possessor of a counterfeit bank note. The picture is valued at \$1,000.

An Occasion for Thanksgiving.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 25.-Twenty-eight convicts in the State prison have been pardoned by the Board of Pardons, and were released yesterday. The mot noted were E. A. Condit, who victimized many Wall street brokers in 1882 by clever forgeries, and Wm. Sipple, the telegraph operator who sent a bogus order two years ago to an Eric railway agent in the name of an official, ordering money removed from a safe and placed where Sipple could

Hoosier Frozen to Death in Wisconsin.

ASHLAND WIS., Nov. 25 .- Two pine land hunters, while out searching for William Goul, who was lost in the woods last Sun-Goul, who was lost in the woods last Sunday, succeeded in finding his body to-day about nine miles from this city and four miles from Ary road. His body will be brought here some time to-night. His parents at Indianapolis, Ind., have been telegraphed in regard to what shall be done with the body. When found he was lying upon his back in the snow, with his rifle resting across his breast.

A Raw Bean Causes Death.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 25 .- The death of Ralph Newman, a promising young business man of Kansas City, occurred yesterday from ulceration of the pit of the stomach. Newman had incautiously swal lowed, some days ago, a raw bean, which gradually produced inflammation sufficient to cause death. Six of the best physicians in the neighborhood attended the patient, but were unable to diagnose the case. The cause of death was not discovered until the post mortem autopsy.

The Atlanta's Trial Trip.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25 .- The new naval cruiser Atlanta, which has been on a trial trip in the sound, returned to the Navy Yard to-day. Her command r reported a contract specifications as to horse-power She steamed at the rate of thirteen knots per hour easily with 2.500 horse-power, and it is thought that with some alterations of machinery she may realize the desired rate of 14 7-10 knots and 3,100 horse power.

Another Conspiracy to Bulgaria.

Sofia, Nov. 25.-Another conspiracy against the Government has been discov ered. Two officers, one of them a Russian organized a plot to kill Colonel Nicolaeff, Major Popoff and the Regent. The crime was to have been committed at 5 o'clock this morning. Major Popoff discovered the plot, and caused the arrest of the two officers and two others who are implicated. They will be tried in a few days.

A Blaze in the Statue of Liberty.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The heavy cloth curtain which, during the daytime, covers the electric light lenses on the Statue of Liberty, caught fire Monday night and fell on the light woodwork of the staircase in the interior of the statue. It was only by the hardest work that a bad fire was aver-ed and the great statue saved from ruin.

A Tough Engineer. Lancaster, Wis., Nov. 25.—The powder mills at Platteville blew up last night. Twelve thousand pounds of powder were in

the mill. The engineer was the only man around. He was blown a long d stance, and remained insensible for some time. Windows were shattered in houses miles Four Deaths By Fraezing. MANDAN, DAK., Nov. 25 .- Two children named Meisal were frozen to death, ten miles north of here, while looking for lost stock. Two young man (brothers) named Sims were frozen to death while returning from work.

DARING SADIE ALLEN.

She Floats Through Niagara Whirlpoo Rapids and Lands Desperately Sick.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Nov. 28 .- Georg Hazlett and Miss Sadie Allen, of Buffalowent through the rapids and the whirlpoo this afternoon in the torpedo-shaped barre used by Hazlett and Potts last summer They were in the rapids and whirlpool five minutes and were taken out of the eddy on minutes and were taken out of the eddy on the Canadian side just below the whirlpool three-quarters of an hour later in good condition. Miss Allen is a respectable girl, eighteen years old, a petite brunette, and pretty. The start was made from the Maid of the Mist Landing, on the Canada side. When the barrel reached the maelstrom it shot right into the center of the pool, making two or three turns. Leaving the pool, the barrel followed the current out toward the Canadian shore down to the outlet of the pool, when it got into a large eddy and bobbed around for half an hour. Friends near by shouted to the occupants of the barrel, when Hazlett opened a small door on top of the barrel, and Frank Lawson threw a rope from the shore, which Hazlett secured, and the barrel was towed ashore. After coming out of the barrel, Hazlett and Miss Allen had a tramp of a mile and a half through brush and over bowlders before reaching the top of the precipice. Miss Allen, when she appeared at the ferry to eater upon the perilous journey, wore a neat walking-dress. Taking off her hat and jacket and throwing a shawl over her head, she stepped lightly into the barrel through the manhole, tucking her garments closely about her, and laughingly remarking, "Come, George, jump in. I'm all fixed." Soon after George Hazlett stepped into the craft, fastening himself to the opposite end to that occupied by Miss Allen. Just thirty minutes from the tine the barrel was towed out into the river it reached the whir pool. After landing. Miss Allen was taken desperately sea sick. the Canadian side just below the whirlpoo

LIFE-SAVING STATIONS.

Facts from the Annual Report of the Gen eral -uperintendent.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28 .- The report of the General Superintendent of the Life-saving Service shows at the close of the last fiscal year the establishment embraced 211 stations, 165 being on the Atlantic, 38 on the akes, 7 on the Pacific, and 1 at the Falls of the Ohio, Louisville, Ky. The number of disasters to documented vessels within disasters to documented vessels within the field of station operations during the year way 332. There were or board these vessels 2,729 persons, of whom 2,699 were saved, and twenty-seven lost. The number of shipwrecked persons who received succor at the stations was 807, to whom 2,000 days' relief in the aggregate was afforded. The estimated value of the vessels involved in the disasters was \$4.428,330, and that of their cargors \$2,073,305, making the total value of property imperied \$6,502,185. Of this amount \$5,078,078 was saved and \$1,429,057 lost. The number of vessels totally lost was eighty-eight. The report says the number, violence and destructiveness of the storms which occurred during the year exceeded the record of any previous year since the goneral extention of the service to the sea and lake coasts. In one storm there were no less than thirty shipwrecks within the scope of the operations of the service and in a single day (January 9) there were twenty-three. The crvice, however, d.d not fail to match its previous record of effectiveness in saving life and property. The number of casualties was greater by twenty-eight than that of any former year, yet the loss of life is fifteen less than the average, and although the vessels and cargoes totally lost were eventy more than in any former year, the amount of property lost was only about \$15,000 greater than the average for the preceding years, while the amount saved is increased by nearly \$2,000,000. the field of station operations dur-

The New Two-Cent Postage Stamp.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28 .- The design for the new two-cent postage stamp, which is to be put into circulation about January of next year, has been selected. It prepared by Tiffany & Co., of New York, and is said to be one of the handsomest pecimens yet issued by the department. The design presents an embossed head of deorge Washington in profile upon a blue tinted background.

Lightning Change of Partners.

Wabash, Ind., Nov. 28.-Mrs. John Sopher was, on Saturday, divorced from husband in the Wabash circuit court, alleging cruelty and failure to provide The lady was granted a decree shortly be fore dinn-r, and at 1 p. m. she was again a bride—promising to love, honor and cherish samson R. Snoke. This is said to beat the record on divorce and quick marriages.

Boy Burned in a Barn.

Mr. VERNON, KY., Nov. 28 .- Granville Brown, fourteen, was burned to death mysteriously in his aunt's barn, near town. He had been dispatched on an errand, and a few minutes later was heard screaming in the barn, which was in flames, and the Joor locked. It was impossible to rescue him. No solution can be reached by the family.

Swallowed Carbolic Acid.

WABASH, IND., Nov. 28 .- During the ab ence from home, yesterday, of the mother the seven-year-old daughter of Rinker, a Miami County farmer, swallowed a teaspoonful of carbolic acid, which the ittle one supposed to be medicine. The child was found at the point of death. Restoratives were of no avail, and the sufferer died this morning.

Burned to Death.

EVANSVILLE, IND., Nov. 28 .- Mary Wilson, fourteen years of age, employed at the home of Mr. John Hauberry, farmer, living two miles south of this city, was fatally burned yesterday. The giri was standing before the grate, when her clothing caught fire, and in an instant her clothes were a

Died in Poverty. New York, Nov. 28 .- An old lady named

MEW YORK, Nov. 28.—An old lady named Mrs. Margaret Jerome, who is supposed to have been the widow of General Jerome, the noted Confederat; officer, died Thursay night in a garret in Goerok street, where she lived in great poverty for some time. Her body is at the morgue and will be interred in Potter's field.

Onicago, Nov. 28.—The arrest of Henry Jansen at this city, for the attempted murder of his wife, may result in the discovery of the man who thraw the bomb into the ranks of the police at the Haymarket

THE INDUSTRIAL WORLD.

-Oliver Dalrymple states that he will put in 31,000 acres of crops next season in Dakota.

—A large whale fishery is being established on the west end of Van-couver Island, British Columbia.

-Farmers of Kansas say that the acreage of fall wheat will be greater this year than ever before in the history of the State.

—There are 4,008,907 farms in the United States, Illinois having the large est number, 255,741, and Rhode Island the smallest, 6,216.

—Labor is in demand in shops and mills supplying railway appliances. The railroad companies are the heaviest buyers of products of iron and steel and lumber, and their orders at the present time are at least double the volume at any preceding date. - Pittsburgh Post.

-The invention of the valve motion for the steam engine is credited to a boy. The power loom was the inven-tion of a farmer's boy who had never seen a factory and had no tools but a jack-knife, and whose father broke up the first model he made.

—Persons who are undertaking to raise carp in artificial ponds must be careful to keep other kinds of fish as well as aquatic animals and turtles out of them. During the past summer the young carp in many places have been destroyed by the above named creatures.—Chicago Times.

—Peanuts of good size and quality were raised this year in New York, Ohio and Southern Michigan. The yield was not as large as in the Southern States, and there is little promise that the crop will be a paying one for the market. Still, it is likely that in a few years the boys on most northern farms will raise their own peanuts—N. Y. Times.

-A large building has just been completed near the Housatonic track, in Canaan, Conn., for the manufacture of granulated milk. This is a new proof granulated milk. This is a new process invented and patented by Robert Ellin, the milk being preserved in granules appearing not unlike white granulated sugar. This is the first manufactory of the kind in the country.—Hartford Post.

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—Two of the largest castings in the world are said to be at Nara and Kamskura, Japan, the one at the latter place being forty-seven feet high, and the other at Nara being fifty-three and three-fourths feet from the base to the crown of its head. The statue at Narais supposed to have been erected in the eighth century, but it was destroyed and recast 700 years ago. In endeavoring to recast it several mishaps occurred; and when at last success came, some thousand tons of charcoal had been used.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—Women are so fond of trimmings and finery that they even have their tempers ruffled once in a while.

—Some men are so penurious that they keep everything they get hold of, except the Ten Commandments.— Cedartown (Ga.) Advertiser.

--You can get a pretty good idea of a man's character by noting how he acts toward his poor relations.—New -A Burlington girl, who is a great talker, says that it is better to be en-

gaged in conversation than not at all .rlington Free Press. —He (at the beginning of the third act)—"How spicy the play is getting." She (who sat alone between the acts)—"I should say so!"—Life.

—Polite passenger (in street car)—
"Will you take this seat, madam"
Madam—"Thank ——" Polite passenger—"Pray don't, madam. I'm
subject to fits."—N. Y. Sun. —Let a parent teach his child to obey, and he will give him the most precious

lessons that can be given to a child. Obedience is the grandest thing in the world to begin with.—N. Y. Ledger. -Lady to servant-"Have you a recommendation from your last place?"
Servant to lady—"Yes, but I'll not show it yer till I see the one ye have from your last girl."—Chicago Tribune.

—Mrs. Swellington Jones—"Really, my dear, you owe it to your friends to get a new dress suit." Mr. Swellington Jones—"Well, if I do, I shall have to owe it to my tailor."—Harper's

-People's ideas of musical excellence We wot of a hand organ who never visits a certain street because every house therein has an active piano. To quote his own words: "Eet shocka

my nerva."—Boston Transcript.

—A young lady was sitting with her lover in a charmingly decorated recess. On her knee was a diminutive niece. In an adjoining room, with the door open, were the rest of the company. Says the little niece, in a jealous and very audible voice: "Auntie, kiss me, too." I leave you to imagine what had happened. "You should say twice, Ethel, dear; two is not grammar," was the immediate rejoinder. Clever girl, that!—The Critic. my nerva."-Beston Transcript.

that! - The Uritic. -Chestnut Bells .-Hear the tinkie of the bells— Chestnut bells. What a world of ancient gags their melods

What a world of ancient gags their may foretells.

How they ting fing. Eng.

Through the super-heated air, while you day we most any thing. If you only could ling.

Something at the "John-mule" there—as he chimes, ch mes, chimes, On the bell a dolent times;

And a hundred rousing class words for a hundred rousing class words for the bells, bells, bells, bells.

At the bells, be

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Congress meets next Monday.

Jas. W. Tate has annouced himself as a candidate for re-election as State Treasurer.

J. Milton Turner, of St. Louis, the well known colored leader, announces his conviction that the time has come for the colored people to seek some other means than

A crank named Shuler acted in such manner towards President Cleveland, while attending the Arthur obsequies in New York, as to excite suspicion that he had designs on the President's life. Shu-state central and executive commitler is insane.

than submit to a continuation of the delegate convention in the city of Czar's rash course in regard to Louisville, at 12 o'clock noon, on Bulgarian affairs. Bismark sits in Wednesday, the 4th day of May, Berlin with his eye on France, 1887, for the purpose of nominating ready to encourage war or peace as candidates for the various state ofhis advantage may suggest.

in Knox county, were recently mur- the vote for Cleveland and Henddered and their bodies piled in the ricks be taken as a basis, and that floor of their residence, which the the ratio of representation be one murderers set on fire. A man and delegate for every two hundred of woman known by the name of said votes and one for each fraction

blance to the famous Missouri out- they shall be chosen by a mass law, and the people are firm in be- meeting of the democracy, to be lief that he is the veritable freecost- held at the court-house in such

icated at Fairview, Todd county, ing of the committees be held at Ky., a Baptist Church, on the site the Galt House, in the city of Louof the building in which Jefferson isville, at 8 o'clock p. m., May 3, Davis was born. Mr. Davis was 1887. present and presented the church a J. Stoddard Johnson, Ch'mn. handsome sacramental service of H. T. STANTON, Sec'v. made a gift of the lot on which the hurch is erected.

President Cleveland, in his proclamation annoucing the death of ex-President Atthur pays the following graceful tribute to the character of his predecessor: "Mr. Arthur was called to the chair of Chief Magistracy of the Union by a tragedy which cast its shadow over the entire government, His assumption of the grave duties was marked by an evident and conscientious sense of his responsibilities, and an earnest desire to meet them in a patriotic and benevolent spirit. With dignity and ability he sustained the important duties of his station and the reputation of his personal worth, conspciuous graciousness and patriotic fidelity will long be cherished by his fellowcountrymen."-Capital.

The Democratic party being based upon principle and not sustained by expediency, can look with equanimity upon temporary reverses and annoying disappointments. Its mission is to maintain the rights of the citizen and to preserve that equilibrium in government which is necessary in order to distinguish a Democracy from an Oligarchy. Expepients to please the fancy of the hour and attract numbers at the cost of principles, form no part of the true policy of any party. Such practice may be temporarily successful, but when the passions of the hour have abated, the fallacy of expediency exposed and the necessity ior government upon principle made manifest, the sober second thought of the people Hways prevails, and the Democrati

party is called to bring order out of chaos. This is history. Why not prophecy?-Capital.

Utah and the Mormons.

The report of C. W. West, Governor of Utah, to the Secretary of the Interior, contains some interesting information. The present condition of the Territory is described:

"I know of no armed organization for the purpese of opposing the law-ful authorities or resistiting the enforcement of the laws, nor do I believe any such now exists. The process out of the courts is met with no physical resistance, and society is peaceable, and no out-breaks have occurred since I came to the Territory."

Still, Governor West anticipates troble, and calls upon the Government for a "strong, well-disciplined and efficient military force to aid

the civil power." Governor West looks with apprehension upon the continued immigration of Mormons to the Territory and wants Congress to pass laws that will put a stop to it. In six years the immigration has been politics for the betterment of their in the aggregate 11,950. The Mor-condition. In the aggregate 11,950. The Mor-mon population of the Territory is estimated at 150,000.-Common-

Call For a State Convention.

At a meeting of the Democratic tee held in Frankfort November 23, the following was adopted: You England will accept war rather are hereby requested to meet in a ficers to be voted for at the next August election. In appointing A family of eight persons, living delegates, it is recommended that A man calling himself Frank
James, professing to have turned
preacher, is attracting large crowds of listeners in Menifee, Morgan, and other mountain counties, in this
State. He bears a striking resemblance to the few of county or counties at 1 o'clock pa m. on said Saturday, April 23rd On November 21st there was ded- 1887, It was ordered that a meet-

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the ominous sounds of Croup, finds the little sufferer, with red and swoffen face, gasping for air. In such cases Ayer's Cherry Poctoral is invaluable. Mrs. Emma Gedney, 159 West 128 st., New York, writes: "While in the country, last winter, my little boy, three years old, was taken ill with Croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. Ayer's Would the From stranguardon.

Cherry Pectoral was tried in small and frequent doses, and, in less than half an hour, the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the Pectoral saved my darling's life." Mrs. Chap. B. Landon, Guilford, Conn., writes: "Ayer's

Saved My Life,

and also the life of my little son. As he is troubled with Croup, I dare not be without this remedy in the house." Mrs. J. Gregg, Lowell, Mass., writes: "My children have repeatedly taken Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for Coughs and Croup. It gives immediate relief, followed by eure." Mrs. Mary E. Evans, Scranton, Pa., writes: "I have two little boys, both of whom have been from infancy, subject of whom have been, from infancy, subject to violent attacks of Croup. About six months ago we began using Ayer's Cherry Peetoral, and it acts like a charm. In a few minutes after the child takes it, he breathes easily and rests well. Every mother ought to know what a blessing I have found in Ayer's Cherry Pectoral." Mrs. Wm. C. Reid, Freehold, N. J., writes: "In our family, Ayer's medicines have been blessings for many years. In cases of Colds and Coughs, we take

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Bright's Disease

is prevented. Ayer's Sarsaparills also prevents inflamination of the kidneys, and other disorders of these organs: Mrs. Jas: M. Weld, Forest Hill st., Jamaica Plain, Mass., writes: "I have had a complica-tion of diseases, but my greatest trouble has been with my kidneys. Four bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla made me feel like a new person; as well and strong as ever." W. M. McDonald, 46 Summer st., Boston, Mass., had been troubled for years with Kidney Complaint. By the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, he not only

Prevented

the disease from assuming a fatal form but was restored to perfect health. John McLellau, cor. Bridge and Third sts., Lowell, Mass., writes: "For several years I suffered from Dyspepsia and Ridney Complaint, the latter being so severe at limes that I could scarcely attend to my work. My appetite was poor; and i wild inheh emaciated; but by using

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My 10-4 all wool over the left Blankets at 1.25 per pair are just out, and the factory on a strike; no chance to get another supply this But the fact still remains that Littlewinter. john's is the place to get solid bargains and fair Very Respectfully, dealing.

G. W.LITTEJOHN,

Nov. 12th. 1886.

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G.W.Chapman called on us Monday. He has just completed a four month's school at Ferguson, W.Va.

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tend Congress.

A. L. Shannon, who was elected Sheriff of this county last August, has given bond for the collection of

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Cakes Pes and Pastrie with the first and lungs of the bountry, at the the well that is being drilled near the mouth of the Lower Lattrel, they struck a considerable street of oil and will begin to pulmip to-day (Nov. 28th.) We believe the well will prove a success.

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ALLE KINDS CF STAPLE ARD FARGY GROGERIES.

* Acquitted.

The examining trial of Mollie Oliver, charged with poisoning the Terman family, was begun last Monday and concluded Tuesday inght. Alexander Lackey was the attorney for the defense, and W. W. Marcum, G. W. Castle and R. S. Brown, conducted the presention.

An important Commonwealth's witness—the boy who claimed to have seen the girl put the poison in the food—was introduced twice, and made several contradictors.

A. J. Auxier has returned from down the river.

J. E. Gray, Master Commissioner, sold a large amount of timber last week.

\$50 Given Away!

\$25; to the second, \$15; to the third now offer proper inducements to the \$10. No restriction other than that Chattaroi. "Now is the accepted The snag boats have completed \$10. No restriction other than that their work and returned to this the words shall be numbered found time. in Webster's dictionary, and that no letter shall be used in any one word oftener than it appears in the sentence. Each contestant shall first send to our address, his or her name enclosing 25c in silver or postol note, whun the name will be registered and a package of Allen's Corn extrator sent post paid. Contestants will be furnished a card M. S. Burns.

Hon. W. P. Taulbee passed down on the Ingomar Sunday night on his way to Washington city to attend Congress.

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A number of the young folks of our town passed several hours very pleasantly at Drake's Hall Thursday evening, "tripping the light fantastic toe."

List of Lettersin P, O. Louisa, Dec, 1st, 1886, unclaimed and uncalled for: Wayne Coburn, H. B. Hulett, James Matney, Henry Elderman, Cyntha Bunells, Samuel McCoy, Jno. Prince.

C. C. Sullivan, P, M.

How often do we hear of the sudden fatal termination of a case of croup, when a young life might have been saved by the prompt use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral! Be wise in time, and keep a bottle of it on hand, ready for use.

We are glad those Knights of Labor, the Bees' never strike for higher wages, but are always on hand to get in their work among the flowers. As a consequence we have of honey, which is largely used in mannfacturing Coursens! Harser of the said that dull times are not known by the agents for the great publishing house of George Stinson & Co., of Portland, Maine. The readers and at prices that all beauty all can afford. At present we understand, their agents are doing wonfully well on several new lines. They need many more agents in all larm afford. At present we understand, their agents are doing wonfully well on several new lines. They need many more agents in all larm afford. At present we understand, their agents are doing wonfully well on several new lines. They need many more agents in all larm afford. At present we understand, their agents are doing wonfully well on several new lines. They need many more agents in all larm afford. At present we understand, their agents are doing wonfully well on several new lines. The readers are doing wonfully well on the fact that they have a summer and the publishing house of G It is said that dull times are not

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BLAINE.

Hon. H.H.Gambill returned from Flemingsburg a few days ago. He had been there with a lot of mules and horses; but he found the mark-et so low that he brought some of them back with him.

Lum Holbrook's new house

in the food—was introduced twice, and made several contradictory statements. At about eight o'clock Tuesday, night the examination of the witnesses was completed and the case submitted to the Court without argument. Not haying sufficient evidence of the guilt of the defendant, Judge Burton acquitted the girl.

Persons who heard all the testimony say there is something very wysterious about the case.

Week.

Married, on the 24th inst at the residence of Mr. A. 5 Hatcher, Mr. Jas. Trimble, of Catlettsburg, to Miss Lizzie Hatcher. Rev. G. M. F. Hampton, of Prestonsburg conducted the ceremanies. Mr. and Mrs. Trimble left the next morning for Catlettsburg. Miss Lizzie was one of our most beautiful and intelligent young ladies.

Coon Waits and Frank Makkatlin were here last week

Col. J. H. Northup, Frank Wal-p and Col. Forbes, of the Chatta-roi railway, and C. M. Parsons, of this place, left here one day last week for the "breaks", where they R. S. Booten and wife are in the three persons sending in the three largest lists of words the three hard from the sentence "ALLEN'S made from the sentence "ALLEN'S made from the sentence that the person sending us the largest list, person sending us the largest list.

The Parent of Insomnia.

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The parent of insomnia or wakefulness is in nine cases out of ten a dyspeptic stomach. Good digestion gives sound sleep, indigestion interferes with it. The brain and stomach sympathize. One of the prominent symptoms of a weak state of the great nerve entrepot, the brain. Invigorate the stomach, and you restore-equilibrium to the great centre. A most reliable medicine for the purpose is Hosteter's Stomach Bitters, which is far preferable to mineral sedatives and powerful narcotics, which, though they may jor a time exert a soporific influence upon the brain, soon cease to set, and invariably injure the tone of the stomach. The Bitters, on the contrary, restore activity to the operations of that all important organ, and their beneficent influence is reflected in sound sleep and a tranquit state of the nervous system. A wholesome impetus is likewise given to the action of the barer and bowels by its use.

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" Sewed Bhoes, - \$1.00,
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Eggs in winter mean profit. We should try and have our poultry house clean, warm and comfortable; dust bath, ground oyster shells, and fresh clean water constantly before them.—

- Brown Bread: One cup sponge, one cup cornmal, two cups coarse flour, two tablespoons molasses. a little salt; wet with milk. Stir stiff as you can Let stand in pans till raised.—

-Ham Pie: Make a crust the same as for soda biscuit; line your dish; then put in a layer of potatoes sliced thin, pepper, salt, and a little butter; then a layer of lean ham; add considerable water, and you will have an excellent pie.—Chicago Journal.

- Clean irons are one of the marks of a good housekeeper. If your irons trouble you dropping black specks from the top or sides when ironing, put them into a pan of warm soapsuds and give them a thorough scrubbing. Dry them quickly or they will rust.—

Good Housekeeping.

—Warm Gingerbread: One cup each of sugar, molasses, butter and "loppered"

sugar, molasses, butter and "loppered" milk or cream, four and a half cups of flour, one teaspoonful of soda, sifted twice with the flour, one tablespoonful of ginger, one teaspoonful of mixed mace and cinnamon, three eggs; beat together molasses, sugar, butter and spices until they are very light; put in the milk, beaten eggs and finally flour. Stir vigorously for five minutes and bake in a "eard." Break instead of cutting it and eat with iced milk as an

accompaniment. - Boston Budge!. -Graham Bread: One pint of graham and one pint of wheat flour, one teaspoonful of sugar, one teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of baking lawyer.

powder, and one and a half pints of milk. Sift together graham flour, "Heal "If we come to the salt of th sugar, salt and powder, leaving out the coarse bran which will be found in the sieve; add the milk; mix quickly into a smooth, soft dough, which pour into two small greased tins and bake at once in a rather hot oven twentyfive minutes. Protect with paper ten minutes.—The Caterer.

-Snow Cake: Three fourths cup butter, two cups white sugar beaten to butter, two cups white sugar beaten to a cream, one cup milk, one cup of cornstarch, two cups flour, two heaping teaspoons baking powder; mix cornstarch, flour and baking powder together, add to the butter and sugar alternately with the milk: lastly add whites of seven eggs beaten stiff. Flavor with almond. Icing: Boil two cups sugar in one half cup water, boil until it becomes a thick syrup; pour this while hot over the whites of two eggs beaten stiff, beat together until eggs beaten stiff, beat together until thick and cold, flavor with vanilla. Wet a broad knife in water and smooth the icing on cake.—Exchange.

EARLY COOKERY.

A Subject Which Has Always Engaged

Of old the palate ran riot, writes Dr. J. Milner Fothergill in his excellent work on Dietetics. The Romans were both epicures and gluttons. The oysters of Britian were conveyed by re-One epicure cast a slave into his fish to know it." pond to improve the flavor of his lampreys. The most absurd dishes were contrived, up to a pie of nightingales' tongues. Their tastes were not ours. Fowls were boiled in aniseed water and served with a sauce containing

asafætida. Nor were the Middle Ages far differ-Nor were the Middle Ages far different. Charles V. of Germany was a netorious gourmand. Besides ordinary meats, he had roasted horse, cats in jelly, lizard soup, fried frogs, etc., till his chef, when asked for a new dish, could only suggest a compote of watches—in allusion to that monarch's watches—in allusion to that monarch's passion for such time-keepers. Animals were chased because it was found that the flesh of hunted beasts was more tender and palatable than that of those killed without such preliminary preparation. Fowls were thrashed to death to fit them for the table; while one writer gave directions "how to roast and eat a goose alive." No cruelty to an animal was too great to gratify the palate. The amount eaten,

Then views as to foods varied in the widest manner. The English athlete placed his faith in rare beefsteaks and raw eggs; while the Hindoo wrestlers trained on sweetmeats. The English farmer feeds his servants on meat in order that they may be equal to do hard work.

Cookery books were written by men of learning. Even Dr. Johnson, of dictionary fame, did not think the sub-ject beneath him. "I could write a ject beneath him. "I could write a better book of cookery than has ever yet been written." he boasted. "It should be a book on philosophical principles." So important did he deem the subject that he said contemptously: "A woman may spin, but she can not make a good book of cookery." Dr. Kitchener, the author of "The Cook's Oracle," had a library of works devoted to food and cookery, consisting of no less than two hundred and fifty volumes. It can not be said that the subject has not received considerable attention in allages, — Good House, keeping. WILD WEST LAW.

How a Kansas Judge Rewarded Two Jurors Who Didn't Agree With Him. We sometimes growl about the way the modern lawyer attacks and insults a witness on the stand, but there has really been a great improvement in the last twenty years, especially in the West. In 1855 the writer was a juror in the case of Adams vs. Paige, tried in Kansas. Adams was a Boston speculator, who was trying to oust Paige from eertain lands. The lands clearly belonged to Adams, and Paige was clearly a squatter, but the latter re sisted and the former appealed to the law. The judge was a squatter, and therefore a sympathizer, while Paige was likewise a cousin of his. When Adams came to take the stand Paige's lawyer, whose name was Britt,

began:
"Now, Mr. Adams, you say you bought this land from a party in Boston?"

"Yes, sir." "And you paid him \$480?"
"Yes, sir."

"Now, sir, isn't it a fact that while this Davis, the bogus claimant to this land, lay dying you robbed him of his deed?'

"Be careful! We want no perjury in this case! How often have you been sent to State prison?' 'Never!"

"Look out! Ah! see the guilty blush on his face! Notice his confusion? Your Honor, that man is deliberately

lying!" object to all this!" exclaimed Adams' lawyer as he jumped up.

"Steve Bullock, you sot down!"
shouted his Honor. "I've known you
ever since you started out driving a
mule team, and you was allus objecting
to every thing. If this man has been
in State prison this court wants to know
it. Let him answer the question."

"I never have been." replied Adams.

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"Have you ever robbed a widow?"

asked the lawyer.
"Your Honor, what has all this to do
with the case on trial?" asked Adams'

"Heaps, your Honor," replied Britt,
"If we can show that this man is a
thief, murderer and land pirate it's our business to do so. If a wolf in sheep's clothing sneaks into our innocent com-munity it is our duty to expose him."
"I should say it was," answered the

court. "The witness must answer the question or I'll lock him up for con-

tempt."
"I never did," replied Adams.
"Then your looks belie you. Didn't
you set a store afire in St. Louis?"
"No, sir."

"Nor rob a bank in St. Louis?" "Your Honor, I must object," said

"Steve Bullock, sot down!" exclaimed the court. "You quit driving mules a year ago and went into law, but you don't know everything yet. This court can give you half a mile start and beat you in. If this man has robbed a bank we want to know it,

We want to know what sort of a man has come among us to skeer our wimmin and children."

"I did not rob a bank," said Adams.
"O, you didn't!" sneered Britt.
"How about burning a barn in Illinois?" nois?"

"Your Honor, I did not come here to be insulted," said Adams, as he turned to the court.

"Answer the question!" commanded the judge. "I've got a barn of my own, or am going to have next spring, and if we've taken a barn-burner to lays of runners to the Roman villas. the bosom of this community I want

For two long hours Britt continued to ask such questions, and the judge obliged the witness to answer. Then the case for the defense was closed without a word in regard to its legal aspects. Britt contended, in his speech to the jury, that it was a plot to rob a big-hearted, good-natured citi-zen of his all, and Bullock was so dis-gusted that he refused to examine a

gusted that he refused to examine a witness or make an argument.

"Gents," said the court when he charged us, "we don't want no fooling in this case. That 'ere land belongs to Bill Paige, and you want to return a verdict to that effect."

We went out, and ten of the twelve

We went out, and ten of the twelve were ready to agree with the court. Two of us hung out, and to reward us for producing a disagreement his Honor sent us to jail for thirty-six hours apiece.—Marion Smilh, in Detroit Free Press.

ENGLISH JOURNALISM.

The First Country Newspaper Published in Great Britian and Ireland. gratify the palate. The amount eaten, too, was enormous. The Roman had five meals a day; and at great feasts the stomach, when full to repletion, was emptied in order that the process of filling might be recommenced.

Charles V. was quite as big a glutton as he was an epicure. At a dinner of the Knights of the Golden Fleece, Ascham saw him make his way through sod beef, roast mutton and baked hare, after which he fed full well on a capon. Nor did he forget to drink with it all, "He had his head in the glass five times as long as any of them and drank no less at once than a quart of Rhine wine."

In 1695 appeared the first country newspaper as the Lincoln, Rutland and Stamford Mercury. The prospectus of one of these early county papers, the Salisbury Postmun, "or pacquet of intelligence from France, Spaine, Portugal," etc., September 27, 1715, ran thus: "This paper contains an abstract of the most material occurrences of the whole week, foreign and domestic, and will be continued every post, provided a sufficient number will subscribe for its encouragement. If twenty the proposed to the first country newspaper as the Lincoln, Rutland and Stamford Mercury. The prospectus of one of these early county papers, the Salisbury Postmun, "or pacquet of intelligence from France, Spaine, Portugal," etc., September 27, 1715, ran thus: "This paper contains an abstract of the most material occurrences of the whole week, foreign and domestic, and will be continued every post, provided a sufficient number will subscribe for its encouragement. If the provided the first country newspaper as the Lincoln, Rutland and Stamford Mercury. subscribe for its encouragement. If two hundred subscribe, it shall be delivered to any public or private house in town every Monday. Thursday, or Saturday morning by eight o'clock in winter and by six in summer for 1½d. each. Besides the news, we perform all other matters belonging to our art and mystery, whether in Latin, Greek, Hebrew, algebra, mathematics, etc.," By 1782 the number of provincial papers had increased to fifty. A vivid description of the state of the roads in this country in winter time two cendescription of the state of the roads in this country in winter time two centuries ago is given in the following extract from the "Collections for Husbandry and Trade," March 10, 1693: "The roads are filled with snow, we are forced to ride with the pacquet over hedges and ditches. This day sevennight my boy with the pacquet and two gentlemen were seven hours riding from Dunstable to Hockley, but three miles, barely escaping with their lives, being often in holes and forced to be drawn out with ropes. A man and woman were found dead within a mile hence, and six horses lie dead on the road instween Hockley and Brickhill smothered,"—Longman's Magazine.

MANDARIN-MAKING.

Shrewd Plans by Which Rich But Igno-rant Chinamen Secure High Offices.

On entering what purported to be the place where the great examinations were held I found myself inside a vast wall surrounding a few acres of what in Chicago would be taken for cattle Each one of these cattle-pen looking stalls, of which there are 10,000 in the inclosure, is meant to receive ? candidate for examination. This candidate sits crouched on a

board floor raised a few inches from the ground. It is hard to tell whether the elevation is made to secure him from dampness or to facilitate an inspection dampness or to facilitate an inspection of the premises by those whose business it is to see that no "skinning papers" are used. The candidate's body is pinioned to the back of the cell by a sort of sewing-board, which slides in like a shelf against his stomach. This is used as a table. These cells are arranged in long tiers with greatlings at the store of the series of the ser long tiers, with guardians at each end to see that no communication takes place between the aspirant and the outside world. At the ends of these alleys stand large jars of water and caldrons, in which the food is cooked and which the guardians supply to them. No one is allowed to leave his cell until his examination papers are completed. These examinations last as long as the candidate can endure the discomfort of his position-often for several days.

In the midst of these dreary little prison alleys is a handsomely carved pavilion, where sit the chief examiners and high officials, and where the determinations are reached that make or

unmake the Chinese office-seeker. I hear that many a man passed examinations here in a way that would surprise most people. Pretty much every well-informed resident tells me that the Chinese officials, as a class, are irredeemably corrupt, and that none but the rich men and crafty men can afford to be Mandarins. The way this paradox is made to harmonize is somewhat as follows:

The rich Chinaman who wants to become a Mandarin comes to Pekin some weeks before the examination commences. He wants to look about, to post himself as to the examiners he s to have and, above all, select his "sub-stitute. This "substitute" is a scholarly but impecunious individual, who loans his services to rich but brainless candidates for mandarinship. Bargains in China are of slow making, and for a work so delicate as this unusual time is needed. There were on the steamer coming up the Yellow sea with me a number of officials on their way to an examination that was not to take place for several months.

Before entering Examination hall, the rich candidate and the scholarly but impecunious 'substitute' exchange names. When the papers are handed in the rich man has signed the poor man's name to a slovenly piece of work, while the impecunious party has given the credit of his masterly manuscript to a wealthy patron. When the names of the successful candidates are announced our wealthy knave takes his diploma, while our poor but equally knavish scholar takes the bribe that is to support him until another wealthy candidate turns

One would think that a man could not long carry on a profession of this nature. So those think who do not know the ramifications of corruption in China. The great crowd that goes into one examination facilitates any man's sinking his identity. The question occurred to me at once: If this poor devil could pass a Mandarin's examination, why did he not "sell out" his patron and take the office? The answer I received from the knowing was that the getting to be a Mandarin was a small matter compared to holding yourself in power after you once get there, and that the "substitute in Pekin" was, in view of his means, doing a very wise thing in remaining where he was.

If course there are numberless ways of cheating in examinations. Chinese "skinning papers" that I have seen are marvels of fine work, which one might expect of a people who have brought the art of deception to a degree of perfection by the strong the strong transfer of the strong transfe fection hitherto undreamed of .- Outing.

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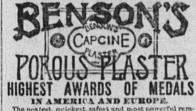
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